



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 07553.0021

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Toru KAWAGUCHI) Group Art Unit: 2877
Application No.: 09/832,837) Examiner: Tu T. NGUYEN
Filed: April 12, 2001)
For: SURFACE POSITION DETECTION)
DEVICE AND EXPOSURE)
APPARATUS AND EXPOSURE)
METHOD ACHIEVED BY UTILIZING)
DETECTION DEVICE)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

**REPLY TO NOTICE OF
NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 C.F.R. 1.121)**

In reply to the Notice of Non-compliant Amendment mailed February 4, 2004,
please consider the following:

Complete listing of all Claims, including the amendments to the claims as
submitted in the Reply to Office Action filed December 31, 2003.

Remarks follow the complete listing of all claims.

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